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Another Link Forged

Links to full-text articles in PubMed are now customized for NIH. Just point your Web browser to http://nihlibrary.nih.gov/ pubmed.htm. This URL provides full PubMed searching capabilities with a small but significant addition: an NIH Library button appears on results records to take you to full-text articles from select journals.

on that button to link to the full-text. The small LinkOut hyperlink on the citation or abstract record provides summary information about the link. You will need to change your PubMed bookmarks to http://nihlibrary.nih.gov/pubmed.htm to be in tune with what's available at no cost to you online. If you continue to use the general PubMed URL, basic publisher links to full-text articles will appear on the citation and abstract records, but with no indication of your access permissions.

> Warm Up With Hands On

This winter the NIH Library will be offering a full day of **Electronic Resources Seminars** every other Thursday, from January 13th to March 23rd. Be sure to mark your calendar for three **new**

offerings: 'Improving your search strategy on Web of Science, PubMed', 'Full-Text Resources - Linking to an actual article via your computer', and 'Tracking the Literature using Porpoise, OVID, PubMed¹. For course descriptions, please go to http://nihlibrary.nih.gov/ seminarsindex.htm.

January 13

9-10:30am Social Science Resources 11-12 noon EndNote (WIN) Web of Science 1-2:30pm

January 27

9-10:30am New PubMed 11-12noon Reference Manager (WIN) 1-2:30pm Improving your search strategy on Web of Science, PubMed

February 10

Web of Science 9-10:30am 11-12 noon ProCite (WIN) New PubMed 1-2:30pm

February 24

9-10:30am New PubMed 11-12 noon EndNote (WIN) 1-2:30pm Full-Text Resources -Linking directly to the

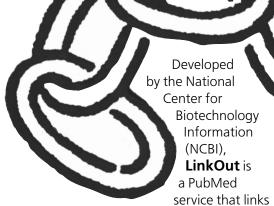
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Hot Tips for Printing *e*Deliveries

In the coming months many more people will be receiving articles requested through Loansome Doc, Web of Science, 232 forms, and the Library's online catalog embedded as a PDF file in an e-mail message. eDelivery requires Adobe Acrobat Reader for viewing and printing the document.

Tips for printing eDelivery documents:

- Select the acrobat printer icon, not File > Print on the toolbar, when printing from a browser
- Select **Print as Image** in the printer dialog box then click "OK". This turns each page into a graphic. It takes a bit longer, but it will ensure that you get a copy of the article as scanned.
- When possible, select a lower resolution (i.e. 300 dpi) when printing to a laser printer. This can **prevent** many printer problems.



from citation and abstract records to outside sources for the full-text of articles in journals for which the NIH Library has an agreement with the publisher. At this time, there are almost 200 online journals to which NIH staff can link from PubMed citations.

Try it! Go to http://nihlibrary.nih. gov/pubmed.htm, type Journal of Biological Chemistry in the search box, and select a record from the summary list by clicking on a blue author hyperlink. The NIH Library button on the abstract record is your indication that the full-text of this article is available to you. Click

You Asked for Them

The following journals will be added to the Library's **print** journal collection for the 2000 subscription year. **Demand** for articles from these journals has **increased** steadily over the last few years and both **copyright guidelines** and common sense **require** that they be acquired.

- Academic Emergency Medicine
- Academic Radiology
- Archivum Immunologiae Therapiae Experimentalis (Eng-Polish)
- British Journal of Nursing
- British Journal of General Practice
- Current Opinion in Cardiology
- Current Opinion in Hematology
- JAMIA Journal of the American Medical Informatics Association
- Journal of the International Neuropsychological Society
- Nature Cell Biology
- Reviews in the Neurosciences
- Tanpakushitsu Kakusan Koso Protein, Nucleic Acid, Enzyme.

The Best and the Brightest

The MIT Encyclopedia of the Cognitive Sciences (MITECS), designed to serve researchers working across a variety of fields in the cognitive sciences is now available to NIH staff from the NIH Library's Web site or directly at http://mitpress.mit.edu/MITECS/.

MITECS provides access to a fulltext encyclopedia with author and title indices. Tips to refine your searches are available also. Search results are ranked by relevance or grouped by subject.

This comprehensive **reference** work classifies the cognitive and brain sciences into six domains: (1) computational intelligence (2) culture, cognition, and evolution (3) linguistics and language (4) neuroscience (5) **philosophy**, and (6) **psycho**logy. Each section contains an extended series of brief entries on the defining research topics of the domain (471 in all). The entries are **written** by **leading researchers** on the topics, and provide an accessible introduction to an important concept in the sciences of cognition. A list of references and suggestions for further reading is provided with each entry. In addition, a panel of advisory editors have written introductory essays for the six **sections** into which MITECS is divided. They provide the reader with an overview of each discipline.

For assistance in using the MIT Encyclopedia of Cognitive Sciences, please call the Library's help line at 496-1080.

Sneak Previews

Did you know that **online journals** are continually **added** to the NIH Library's Home Page? To find out what's coming, visit our list of **new and trial** titles at http://nihlibrary.nih.gov/secure/new.htm. Most often, these journals initially

appear as free trials for **limited time** periods. For example, popular current trial titles include:

- **■** JAMA and select Archives titles
- **■** Chest
- Development
- **■** Journal of Cell Science
- Journal of Clinical Oncology
- **■** Transfusion

Shortly before the end of each trial, the NIH Library evaluates the journal on **several selection factors** to determine whether to **license access** to the journal. Criteria include importance to NIH research, license terms, price, and ease of Web availability. When the Library needs to make choices among journals, the goal is to select the titles of the greatest interest to the largest number of researchers. Use the **Comments link** to let us know which titles are important to your work.

Links to **all journals**, including free trials, are **integrated** into the Library's **Online Journals page** at http://nihlibrary.nih.gov/secure/onlinejournals. htm. As a portal to the full-text of **over 500 Web journals**, this page is well worth the attention of NIH researchers.

If you have questions about access, please call the NIH Library's Computer Assistance Desk at 496-1080.

Library Tours en Español!

The NIH-Library now offers Library tours in **Spanish**. If you are interested in a personal or group tour, please **contact** Frank Barile at (301) 594-6201 or Omar Echegoyen at (301) 594-6284.

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 7:45 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

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 8:30 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

 Sun & Hol
 1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

On some holidays, hours are 8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. (announced in advance)

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